

**McCABE CORPORATION** ENGINEERING & CONTRACTING

January 17, 2001

Mr. Rodney W. Beals
Ohio Environmental Protection Agency
Northeast District Office
2110 East Aurora Road
Twinsburg, Ohio 44087

Re: Warren, Ohio
MAHONIGSIDE POWER PLANT - TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE REQUEST

Dear Mr. Beals:

Please accept this letter as our formal request to O.E.P.A. for federal subsidized technical assistance to complete the Mahoningside Power Plant project.

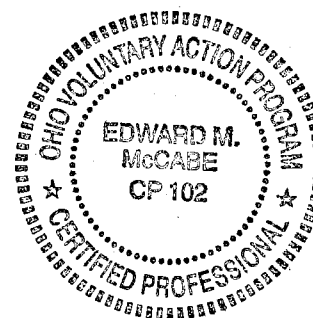
Pursuant to our meeting of January 11, 2001 with U.S.E.P.A. (Mark Durno) we are requesting technical and site investigation (S I F U) assistance. A tentative date of February 8, 2001 was proposed as a meeting date with our firm, O.E.P.A. and U.S.E.P.A. to initiate this process.

We appreciate your assistance in this matter and please feel free to contact the writer for additional information or to proceed.

Sincerely,

McCABE ENGINEERING CORPORATION

Edward M. McCabe, P.E.
President



cc: Mark Durno

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